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No. 3428

MONDAY, APRIL 24, 1893.

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Banks.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA. LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE :- HONGKONG.

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Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent, CURRENT ACCOUNTS

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN; AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 12th December, 1892.

CAPITAL CALLED-UP...... 251,093.15.0

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Wm. Keswick, Esq.-Chairman. Adolf von André, Esq. | F. D. Sassoon, Esq. Egbert Iveson, Esq. H. D. Stewart, Esq. David McLean, Esq.

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RATES OF INTEREST. LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS A and Fixed Deposits, can be ascertained on application.

CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager. Hongkong, 10th April, 1803.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED, LATE THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE

BANK OF INDIA, LONGION AND CHINA.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL£1,500,000 SUBSCRIBED£1,125,000

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

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ON FIXED DEPOSITS:-For 12 Months...... per cent.4 JOHN THURBURN,

Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 4th February, 1893.

Insurances.

EXAMPLES OF THE COST Druggist. OF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30 NEXT BIRTHDAY. STG, payable at death, would China.

. I,000 cost per quarter at the rate £ 6 18 0 (a) If premiums are payable for

er £ 9 xx 6 (5) If premiums are limited to 20 or Lii 46 (c) If premiums are limited to 15

or Liz oo (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or at death if previous.* Secured payments.

THE same provisons if commenced at age 40 ni b. would cost respectively (a) £8.15.0, (1)£11.5.0, (c) £13.2.4, (d) £27.0.8 per quarter. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE

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CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000, \$833,339.33 RESERVE FUND \$318,000.00.

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IVA at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the and under the same Style.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1885.

NOTICE. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED,

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000 The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISES AT CURRENT RATES On GOODS, an Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN,

Secretary, HEAD OFFICE. No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 21st February, 1893.

COMPRADORE AND STEVEDORE. SHIPS VISITING MANILA SUPPLIED for Sale at reasonable prices.
WITH PROVISIONS, DUNNAGE, &c. TAI" WATER and BALLAST BOATS. Manile, 13th March, 1893.

Intimations.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of "THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED," will be beld at the OFFICES. of the COMPANY, No. 2. Queen's Road Central, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong on MONDAY, the 1st day of May, 1893, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, when the subjoined Resolution will be proposed ;-

That the first Subsection of Article 103 of the Articles of Association of The China Fire Insurance Company, Limited, with its marginal note, be expunged, and that in lien thereof the following Subsection and marginal note be inserted, viz ;-

lavest 1st. -- It may invest the Funds of the Company in or upon English, Indian, and Hongkong Government Stocks, Bonds, and Funds, and in or upon the Stocks, Bonds, Funds, and Securities of any Foreign Government, Country, or State, and upon Mortgage of freehold or lesschold property in Hongkong or elsewhere, and in or upon deposits with or loans at interest to any Banking Institutions wherever established, and in or upon such other Securities as it may in its discretion think fit, and may from time to time convert or realize any monies so invested and re-invest the same in or open any of the Securities aforesaid as occasion requires.

By Order of the Board. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.

Hongkong, 8th April, 1893. STEAM WATER-BOATS.

CHIPS Supplied with FRESH WATER for BOILERS and DOMESTIC PURPOSES with despatch.

J. W. KEW & Co., and Floor. 18, Praya Central,

Hongkong, 20th April, 1891.

AN APPEAL.

THE SUPERIORESS of the ITALIAN CONVENT, CAINE ROAD, begs most respectfully to APPEAL to the Residents of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, for their kind pationage and support, and desires to state that she will be pleased to receive orders for all kinds of NEEDLE WORK.

Gentlemen's Shirts made to order, and Cuffs and Collars renewed on old ones. Ladies and Children's Under-clothing, Children's Dresses, and all kinds of Embroidery, Materials can be supplied, if required;

The Superioress will also be most grateful for any PAPER. or old ENVELOPES to be made into Books for the Children of the Poor Schools, who are taught by the Sisters. Hongkong, 22nd April, 1893.

DR. KNORR'S LION BRAND ANTIPYRINE.

(Dose for Adults 15 to 35 grains troy. TS the most approved and most efficacious A remedy in cases of HKADACHE, MI GRAINE, NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM. FEVER, TYPHUS, INFLUENZA. DENGUE, ERYSIPELAS, HOOPING COUGH, and many other complaints. It is also the very best Antiseptic. Highly recommended by the Medical Faculty. Ask for Dr. KNORR'S ANTIPYRINE! Each Tin bears the inventor's signature "Dr. KNORR" in red letters.

"DERMATOL" is the best Vulnerary; its effect in stimulating the closing up of Wounds, is described as amazing. To be had at every reputed Chemist and

Supplies constantly on hand at the China Export, Import, and Bank Co.—Sole Agents for

Beware of spurious imitations. Hongkong, 1st April, 1803.

NOTICE. DIVING.

A Nexperienced man seeks an engagement TIVE" or in charge of a DIVING PARTY. Fully acquainted with all latest improvements in sub-marine craft, Telephone, Lamp-work

Siebe and Gorman's apparatus (Double or single Pumps) can be provided. Breakwater and Pler Work a Specialty. The Salving of Cargo and Removal of Wrecks undertaken in any locality.

References regarding work executed in the North Atlantic, Mediterranean and China Seas can be seen.

DETONATOR, c/o Office of the Hongkong Telegraph. Hongkong, 28th March, 1893. NOTICE,

THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public that he has bought from the Official Trustee the GOODWILL and STOCK-IN-TRADE of the TEEN YIK OIL SHOP, No. 44. Bonham Strand West, and that he will ARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken | carry on the same Business in the same place

MOW TACK Hongkong, 14th April, 1893. 油生悬天瓣飞领茂

NOTICE.

THE .Undersigned are prepared to accept contracts for the Supply of ITALIAN MARRIE MONUMENTS. These Monuments are beaut fully carved, of the best design and workmanship, and their prices are very reasonable. They have also for Sale AMERICAN MARBLE MONUMENTS at greatly reduced prices for a period of TWO MONTHS ONLY from: the date hereof. A discount of 5 per cent, as per schedule of prices, will be allowed to all buyers, and a further discount of 5 per cent. CAPTAIN CH. ROBINSON, to Military, Naval and Police Officers, An inspection is respectfully invited. They have MINO HONGKONG GRANITE MONUMENTS

> TAL YUN SHOP, No. 1, Queen's Road East. [339 1 Houglong, 18th April, 1893.

Intimations.

W. ROBINSON & Co. (UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL) HONGKONG.

SATISFACTORY WORK GUARANTEED, SINGLE TUNING\$ 5.00. 6 TUNINGS A YEAR......\$35.00 PER ANNUM. INCLUDING MINOR REPAIRS AND THE KEEPING OF THE PIANO IN GOOD

DIANOS BOUGHT, SOLD OR TAKEN IN EXCHANGE, PACKED, REMOVED AND

ORDER AND CONDITION.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1893.

LADIES, GENTLEMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S

Hongkong, 22nd April 1893.

CALCUTTA PITH HATS.

COVERED IN ANY MATERIAL TO SUIT PURCHASERS. OLD PITH HATS RE-COVERED.

W. POWELL & CO.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code.-TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS......THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH convoys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the culsius being

under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lefty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. A handsomely appointed GRILL ROOM, where chops, steaks, &c., are served at any hour

adjoins the HOTEL, and is under the same Management.

The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied.

HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers it has been pronounced to be the best and the and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER

Manager.

BREWER QUEEN'S ROAD,

SLAZENGER'S DEMON TENNIS BATS. CHAMPION TENNIS BATS. ALLIANCE TENNIS BATS.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1892.

WIMBLEDON TENNIS BATS. FAVORITE, FALCON, ac.

SPECIAL BLACK GUT BATS. AYRES' REGULATION TENNIS BALLS. [406 SLAZENGER & SONS' 1893 BALLS. FAULTLESS UNDERSEWN and other BALLS. FOOTBALLS. BOYS' CRICKET SETS. PARLOUR SKITTLES and other Games.

TENNIS BELTS for Ladies and Gentlemen. TENNIS SHOES (Renshaw's) both Ladies and Gentlemen. GUIDE TO HONGKONG, CANTON and MACAO.

> W. BREWER UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, 7th April, 1897.

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

SALTERS' CELEBRATED BLACK GUT TENNIS BATS.

AYRES' 1898 CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS BALLS. SALTERS' ALL BUCK, RED RUBBER

TENNIS SHOES.

TENNIS NETS AND POLES.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG Hongkong, 6th April, 1893.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

FOR SALE.

CALCUTTA-MADE

HA. S.

Hongkong, 18th April, 1893.

ELANE CRAYFORD&C"

Intimations.

HONGKONG CORINTHIAN SAILING

CLUB. THERE will be a GENERAL MEETING of the above Club, at 6 P.M. on THURS DAY, the 27th instant, in the GYMNASIUM of the Victoria Recreation Club. Notices of Motion to be sent to Hon. Sec., Hougkong Corinthian Sailing Club.

F. LINDSAY LLOYD, P.E., Honorary Secretary, Hongkong Corinthian Salling Club. Hongkong, 22nd April, 1893."

CONVERSAZIONE AND EXHIBITION will be given

THURSDAY, April 27th, at 9 P.M., CITY HALL. Under the auspices of the HONGKONG "ODD VOLUMES,"

His Excellency Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON has kindly consented to open the CONVERSAZIONE. The EXHIBITION will include the Exhibits

to be sent to the IMPERIAL INSTITUTE representing the resources of Hongkong, An INDIAN COURT, INDUSTRIAL, PHI-LOSOPHICAL, ETHNOLOGICAL, BOTA-NICAL, and GEOLOGICAL SECTIONS.

Private Collections of Curios, Works of Art, and Bric-a-Brac. Industrial Exhibition to which the Gas, Electric Light, Telephone, Sugar, Brick and Cement and other Companies will contribute,

Collections of Silver-ware, Silk, Coins, Weapons, Models of Temples, Machinery, and Scientific and other Instruments. Glass making, Die Printing, Steel Engraving, Book Ruling and Stamping,

An admission of \$1 will be charged to cover Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. LANE CRAWFORD & CO and Messrs, KELLY AND

WALSH, LD, or at the door. SIDNEY JEFFREY . Hon. Sec. "Odd Volumes." Hongkong, 21st April, 1993.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

FTER this date NO FULLY PAID UP May. SHARES of this Company will be TRANSFERED on which the Calls on the NEW SHARES standing in the same Name remain Unpaid. By Order,

R. LYALL,

Secretary. Hongkong, 10th April, 1893. THE MIKE COAL MINING COMPANY.

THE MIIKE COAL IS & most economical of all the Japanese Coals. Its: export is increasing yearly, an' the opinions expressed by several of the largest regular consumers are in testimony of the excellent

qualities of this coal. Attention is called to the following advantages to Ships' Owners and Captains, who coal their bunkers direct from the Undersigned :-

FRESHNESS of the coal. UNIFORMITY of quality, FREEDOM from impurities. Supply in any quantity on shortest notice. Quick despatch,

BEST of weight, etc., etc. MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA. Sole Agents,

Trongbong, 4th September, 1892.

KING WO CHEONG.

COAL MERCHANTS, SHIP'S COMPRA-DORES, STEVEDORES, &c. Have for Sale a cargo of pure AKAIRI COAL,

ex GODOWN and ex SHIP, MR. J. W. BOYD, Superintendent at Kowloon Docks, reports that AKAIKI COAL GIVES TEN PER CENT. BETTER RESULTS than any Japanese Coal he has over

For full particulars as to price, &c., KING WO CHEONG,

No. 32, Praya Central, Honokong, 3rd February, 1803.

Shipping,

STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG, THE Norweglan Steamer.

"NANKING," Captain N. Sorensen, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 25th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to
KING WO CHEONG,

No. 32, Praya Central. Hongkong, 22rd April 1803. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA, YIA INLAND SEA. HE Steamship "BRECONSHIRE," Captain Parsons, will be despatched as above

on or about WEDNESDAY, the 26th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, 19th April, 1793. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP,

"RADNORSHIRE," Captain F. Davies, R.N.R., will be despatched as above on or about FRIDAY, the 28th instant, instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, spply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., T.

Hongkong, sist April, 1893,

HE Steamship

Shipping.

STEAMERS. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. Calling at MACAO, TIMOR, PORT DARWIN, and QUEENSLAND P. RTS, and taking through. Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND,

TASMANIA, &c.) THE Steamship

"CATTERTHUN," Captain Shannon, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 25th instant, at Daylight,

This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has large Cooling Chambers, thus ensuring a supply of Fresh Mest, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage. Aduly qualified Surgeon and Stewardess are carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, 24th April, 1893.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR KOBE.

(Calling at AMOY AND TAKOW.) THE Company's Steamship "HIOGO MARU," Captain Barstow, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 25th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS. Hangkong, soth April, 1893

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship

"CATHERINE APCAR," Captain J. G. Ollient, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, 21st April, 1893. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship "ENERGIA," Stokes, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on or about SATURDAY, the 6th

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 15th April, 1893.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A.J. British Ship "CELTIC CHIEF," Owen, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 20th February, 1893. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. German Ship

"IRON DUKE," Hashagen, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 21st April 1893

Consignees. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE ONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and J. S. VAN BUREN.

Hongkong, 18th April, 1893. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

THE Steamship "CATHERINE APCAR" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignous of Cargo are hereby informed, that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 24th instant, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Com-

SINGAPORE.

pany, Limited, Wanchal. No Fire Insurance will be effected, Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 21st April, 1893. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES, S. S. "PATHAN,"

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP AND

STRAITS. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon, Wharf and Godown, Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves deli-

very may be obtained. Optional Cargo will: be forwarded unless. notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M. TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th instant will be subject to rent. All claims against the Steamer must be pre-sented to the Undersigned on or before the 28th instant, or they will not be recognised.d All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongtong, sist April, 1893.

Intimations.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY

AERATED WATERS.

WATER.—The Water used is absolutely

STEAM PLANT .-- Of the latest and most powerful type.

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The PRODUCT:-Will bear comparison with the Waters made by the most noted makers in England.

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VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

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OUR NEW FACTORY has been recently refitted with automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and most approved kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English makers:

The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the manufacture throughout.

"BOMBAY SODAS."

.We continue to supply large bottles as heretoore, Free of Extra Charge, to those of our Customers who prefer to have them to the ordi-DRIY Size.

COAST PORT ORDERS, whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order.

For COAST, PORTS, Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties when received in good condition.

Counterfoil Order Books supplied free on application.

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is "DISPENSARY, HONGKONG." And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

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PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER • LEMONADE

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GINGER ALE RASPBERRYADE GINGERADE. No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty or greasy, or that appear to have been used for any

Waters, as such Bottles are never used again by A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, The Hongkong Dispensary, Hongkong,

other purpose than that of containing Aerated

MARRIAGE.

At the Cathedral, Shanghal, by the Ven Archdescon Moule, B.D., on the 17th April ARTHUR, youngest son of T. J. Wisc, of Shanghai Villa, London, to ALICE, eldest daughter of Richard Lewis, Crouch Hill, London, N.

At No. 3, Sans Souci Terrace, Shanghai, on the 17th instant, the wife of Mr. JAMES VALENTINE, of a daughter.

Hongkong Aelegyanh.

Hongkong, Monday, April 24, 1893.

TELEGRAMS.

THE DOWAGER DUCHESS OF

SUTHERLAND.

LONDON, April 22nd.

The Dowager Duchess of Sutherland has been arrested and conveyed to Holloway Prison. Sir Henry James, in a powerful speech, declared if civil war ensued the blood would rest on the head of the Government. If the Bill is carried the opponents can console themselves with the reflection that they have never been defeated, but it may be a question if they have not been betrayed.

SECOND READING OF THE HOME RULE BILL.

The Hill has passed its second reading 347 votes against 304.

OBITUARY. The Earl of Derby is dead.

STOPPAGE OF ANOTHER AUSTRALIAN BANK

The Australian Joint Stock Bank of Sydney has suspended payment. Liabilities eleven millions sterling, comprising four millions due to English depositors,

THE TRIUMPH OF THE G. O. M. Mr. A. J. Balfour before a crammed and excited house denounced the Bill as a mere concession to agitation and crime. A million and a half of protestants in Irrland, he stated.

were prepared forcibly to resist it, and if passed all hopes of a peaceful Ireland, would finally vanish. Mr. Gladstone rlaing at midnight concluded the debate with a vigorous speech in which he accused the opposition of extreme exaggeration, " bascless prophecy; and Mr. Goschen of having grossly misrepresented the finar cial clauses. It was impossible, he said, to include a land bill in the present Bill, but the Government will give the Commons ample time to consider the land question after the division. On finishing his speech Mr. Gladstone was

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

greeted with frantic cheers.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Teheran left Bombay on the 21st inst., for this port.

THE annual inspection of the Shanghai Voluntees Corps, by Colonel Burrow, took place on the 17th inst.

THE silk ex the Empress of Japan was delivered in New York on the 22nd inst., 21 days from Yokohama. --

THE returns of the number of visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ended April 23rd, are :- Europeans, 199; Chinese, 2,271; total

THE troopship Type sailed from Gibraltar for China on the 23rd ult. with relief crews for the surveying vessels Penguin and Egeria and the gunboat Esk.

THE O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Belgie sailing hence March 30th, via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama, arrived at her destination on the 21st inst.

SATURDAY'S Gazette contains a notification to the effect that on and after to-day, the 24th Inst.A the water supply will only be turned on from 7 a.m to 10 a.m. each day.

A TELEGRAM to the Singapore Free Press dated Malacca 17th inst. states that up to that day there had been seventy cases of cholera in the town and from these fifty-seven deaths had

A MAN who had been seven times convicted of offending against the Laws of the (Mede and Persian) Oplum was found guilty again, and fined \$160, with the alternative of six months! bard labour.

WE are informed by the Agent of the O. & O. S. S. Co., that the steamship Gaelic, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 4th inst., via Honolulu, has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port at 2 p.m. to-day.

THE London Lyric Company is meeting with the same success in Shanghai as attended it here. The company opened to a crowded house on the 15th inst, and were given a flattering reception. "Ta-ra-ra" and the Serpentine dince simply "knocked 'em."

IT will be learned with regret that Mr. C. H. Hutchings' condition is giving serious concern to his friends. The plucky old " sport " recovered from his wounds but is now suffering from Bright's disease and little hope is beld out that "Harry" will ever be himself again.

IT is the intention of the Straits Insurance Com-The following is a List of Waters always kept | pany to open a branch office in Yokohama. Mr. A. R. Catto, of the head office, arrived here in the Ancong this morning and proceeds to Japan to carry the matter out. Hitherto, the Company has been represented in Japan by agents only.

> ACTING upon a petition from the Chinese Guilds in America, the Tsungil Yamen has instructed the Kuangtung authorities to issue a proclamation, warning the people not to go to Mexico until the Chinese Government has concluded a treaty with that Republic securing the right of residence to Chinese.

THE N. C. Daily News of the 17th Inst. states that the Wuhu officials have been very active recently, attesting people alleged to belong to the Kolao Hul. The Taotal considers that the river steamers are the places where the suspects are likely to be found, and accordingly four detectives and a gun-boat have, been appointed to each steamer arriving at that port to watch the arrival and departure of passengers.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to us on the rather unsavoiy subject of public latrines and asks us to supply him with information which perhaps would lose no value had he sought it from responsible official sources. Fur in tance, the number of Government employes who are share holders in the fifty edd latrines which adorn this city may be of moment to him but it is of none to us, for it may be as legitimate to amass wealth from that as any other enterprise. Another of his queries is "Is it not a fact that one of the present members of the Sanitary Board is largely interested in most of the privately owned latrines?" and again, with all courtesy, we beg to refer our correspondent to the august body concerned—the Sanitary Board.

GOOD slang, says a writer in the Atlantic Monthly, is idiomatically expressive, and has a narrow escape sometimes from being poetical An English traveller had a quarrel with the mate of a Mississippi steamboat, and the case came into court. The counsel for the plaintiff, in his opening address to the jury thus stated, his cause of action : "The first officer of the Bella Richards addressed my client in most violent and peremptory terms, and threatened him that if he did not immediately remove his pers nal effects from the entrança way of the steamer he would precipitate him into the raging flood below." The evidence of the bystanders as to the mate's words was as follows :-- " Look here, stranger, if you don't tote your plunder off that gang-plank right smart, I'll spill you in the

LATE on Saturday judgment was given by the | the Governor and Sra. da Borja from Bangkok Court Martial in the case of Mr. Hicks, chief engineer of H.M.S. Daphne, which occupied several days. From the evidence it appears that the gunboat had only two qualified engineers to bring her across the Pacific ; if a merchant vessel tried to make a long voyage so scandalously paraded, drums relied and files squaked, and undermanned there would be a fearful row for all Macao and his wife (not forgetting his pretty somebody. However, the Lords of the Admiralty | daughters) turned out in best Sunday toggery to can do what they like with the navy, and then | do honour to the best and most popular Governor blame some poor devil when an accident Macao has had for a long time. Monselgneur happens. That is what has been done Medeiros, however, was not seen at the wharf now; while Mr. Hicks was off duty, and perhaps he is still laid up from his sprain should have been replaced by a certificated when climbing trees (like Adam and Eve) man the water in the gauge-glass can down on Good Friday. Sr. da Borja was decorated and of course the boiler was burnt out. That | with the sash of the Order of the White Elephant. is how ships are blown up and never heard of evidence that his diplomatic mission to Siam again. In this case, however, nothing so serious | was successful. It is to be hoped he will be happened; the Dophus reached Hongkoug equally well received in Tokyo, where he has safely (the accident having eccurred on the way | much more difficult work to do, owing to the here from Manile) and the chief engineer was gross carelessness and negligence of the Portudepartment during his watch below | He was | of the Japaness. The new Secretary-General of

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Shanghaf le Singapore for this port at 6 a.m. yesterday.

AT the Magistracy to-day Capt. Hasting simposed a fine of \$1 op an unlicensed hawker caught in the set of seiling ice cream in the street. Surel in this weather one ought to make allowances

girls in England funs :--To the memory of Emma and Maria Littleboy, the twin children of George and Emms

Littleboy of Hornsey, who died July 16, 1783."
Two Littleboys lie here, Yet strange to say,

These Littleboys are girls."

THE Mercury learns from Tientsin that M. R. E. Bredon has been summoudd to Peking to take the place of Sir Robert Hart, who, as soon as he has settled the finances of the Maritime Customs with the Government, will present memorial, through the Tsungli Yamen, to the Throne asking for a prolonged leave of absence

In the Police Court to-day, before Capt. Hastings, a house-boy rejoicing in the possession of the poetic (or operatic) name of Ho Ho, and lately residing at Namhol, Canton, was charged with having stolen some 200 worth of lewellery and other valuables from Mrs. H. May in January, 1891. The prisoner admitted the offence but at the request of the police the case was remanded. until Monday next, May 1st.

On Saturday night the City Club "smoker" was a great success—might almost be called a rearing success, for the applause which followed each item was as abundant as it was well merited which implies a good deal. The attendance was good, the songs were good, the drinks were good, the Chairman was good, and in fact the only pity about it. was that time passed quickly, and everybody had to get home in good time for Sunday.

IT is notified that the Perk and Hill districts will only be supplied with water daily from 7 to to s.m. until further notice. Meantime residents in Wa-in-fong, who have to pay their whack as well as anybody, do not get a drop at any time in the 24 hours. When the Great British Public finds itself thus shamefully chiselled out of huge sums of money with little or no return, it usually wants to kick somebody very bard. Who is there now at hand to transfix with the responsibility of this water swindle? Who will come forward to be kicked?

AT the Magistracy to-day Comr. Hastings, R.N. acting magistrate, had to deal with a very strange case of alleged drugging with intent to kidnsp. It appeared that a country boy ran away to sea from his home somewhere in Hunan, and was put on board the Chinese gunboat Anian to be taken back. While in Hongkong harbour on the 10th inst., he got ashore, and visited some doubtful parts of the town in company with a man who is now charged, with trying to drug him and kidnap him. The case was remanded until to-morrow afternoon.

FROM Saturday's issue of our esteemed evening contemporary it looks almost as if the Sam-sufpo kerosene tanks were under a cloud since the publication of our article on nitro-glycerine storage in bulk (Hongkong Telegraph, 12th inst.) We would be exceedingly sorry to injure, however unintentionally, any reasonable enterprise; but we certainly do think that as, long as the Government forbids a sampan to take a case of kerozene from a ship in mid-barbour, it is unreasonable to allow such wholesale: dong a to exist close to the Cosmopolitan Dock works.

THERE is a paragraph in St. James' Gazette of the 24th ulto, which should prove interesting reading to a few of our "leading " lights. We do not ruproduce it for the simple reasons that its allegations are not altogether true and that we have, no desire to be "roped in " for any more libel actions than are absolutely necessary. The men named are not very happily bracketed, for practically-speaking with the prosperity or adversity of one of them go hand in hand prosperity and adversity of two thirds of this sland. And moreover we would bet a guinea to a gooseberry that we could guess the authorship of the para, first tiy. .

In the days when the gallant old "Steelbacks" were stationed here it became an established custom for the officers to allow their splendid band to play in the Gardens each Sunday evening, and in proof of the appreciation of their action by the public the grounds were on those occasions crowded by thousands of people indulging in the dual enjoyments of music and a stroll through the gardens. After the 58th came the grat, but this being an unco guld and strictly respectable Presbyterian regiment (at least it was supposed to be, though as a matter of fact two-thirds of the rank and file were 'Glasgow" Irishmen) these popular entertainments were at once discontinued much to the regret and dispopointment of the general public. I the officers of the 1st Shropshires would but follow the example of those of the 58th they would be adding materially to their already honestly earned popularity.

THUS the Sydney Bulletine -- Items from Oveensland solicitor's bill to a local deposit bank: To telegram sent, ..., drafting same, 4s, ; transmitting same, 3s. 4d.; perusing same, 57, 8d. | informing you of transmission, 6s. 8d. total, £1 28. Bd. One pound for sending a 28. telegram | Another 3s. rod. telegram cost 17s. sod, more to transmit. Three advertisements were inserted for 128. and £1 58. additional charged for inserting them. charge for two days work £41 7s. 8d., while the cash paid was: 15s, 4d. The bill was sent to be taxed, and 12 78, was charged for submitting it to:taxation. he solicitor was a director of the bank, and he charged an extra £2 2s. for attending meetings, besides the ordinary director's (ee. Another solicitor was so impressed with the talent shown that he offered Es, for a copy of the bill to keep for reference. The " practitioner's " excuse was that he Macted at cording to law." Just so ! The man who votes to put a lawyer in Parliament to make laws for lawyers' benefit has nobody but himself to blame.

THE Portuguese gunboat Dist, bringing H.E. and Salgon, was lighted off Macao yesterday at git pim, when a signal gun was fired from the Lighthouse Fort. The landing was effected shortly before 7 p.m., when darkness had already set in. Salutes were fired, guards of honour tried by court-martial for what happened in his guest and the officious, offensive aggressiveness reprimended-presumably for not working 48 | Macao, Mr. Lello, was installed in office to-day, In presence of Governor da Boria.

JELEBU shareholders will find in our advertising columns a notification which will please them greatly and make other shareholders envious.

THE L. and C. Express announces the death, at Edinburgh, on the 23rd ult. of Major General J. R. Anderson, C.B., a distinguished Artillery THE inscription on the tombstone of two little officer, who began his military experiences in the Chinese war, embarking in 1840 with Sir Colin Campbell, afterwards Lord Clyde. He was able to save Lord Ragian's position at an important juncture, and was in command of Artillery at Lucknow.

> On the passenger list of the Ancona which arrived here to-day we note the name of M Thomas Jackson, whose special mission supposed to be the resuscitation of Hongkong's dormant prosperity. However, in the adulation that is sure to be poured out at the shrine of the soon-to-be reigning power it is to be hoped that the splendid services of Mr. de Bovis will no pass unrecognised by the shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation

> > SUPREME COURT

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

(Before Chief Justice Fielding Clarke.) April 24th.

FORVELOSING MORTGAGES.

Mr. A. J. Leach, instructed by Mr. Wright (Wotton and Descon) applied on behalf of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, (Jardine, Matheson & Co. agents) for an order of foreclosure against Leung Sau and Leung Chi, in an ex paris care which had been before the Court several times, beginning in December, 1801. The Procuration of the Spanish Dominican Mission was joined with the two Chinese as defendants, but as a matter of form only. Certificates of the Registrar showed that some \$53,000 remained due to plaintiffs from the two Chinese defendants

His lordship made an order of final foreclosure

n the usual form. Mr. G. J. Phillippo, instructed by Mr. Wright (Wotton and Descon) applied on behalf of the Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Company, Limited, for an order of foreclosure against Leung Ng Shi and others, in a case very similar to the previous one, the amount due being

His lordship made the usual order.

INTERPORT SHOOTING MATCH.

The annual interport shooting match for 1804 took place last Saturday afternoon at the rifle butts. Mr. W. Macbean umptring for Shanghai and Singapore and Inspector Quincey for Hongkong. Good shooting was impossible owing to the wind, which struck across from right to left, and the unfavourable light which made shooting very uncertain—especially at distances of 200 and 500 yards. It will be noticed that the military took no part in the competition, owing to the fact that the magazine rifle; with which they are now supplied, was barred. The totals are as follows:-

Mr. W. Duncan. Sergeant Watson, H.K.P. Sergeant Warnock, H.K.P. lergeant Malennan, H.K.P.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

ALLAHABAD, April 1st. According to the latest news from Gligit, Colonel Durand was on the point of starting for Chilas, where the situation was again beginning to look very threatening. In spite of their severe repulse last month, for they cannot have lost less than 250 killed and wounded in their attack upon Chilas fort, the tribesmen were reported to be gathering round our position in great numbers with Kohlstanis and a sprinkling from every tribe in the Indus Valley. Their numbers had swollen to some thousands of men and such an assembly could only signify a determination to make one more concerted attempt to overwhelm the introding force. It is hoped the attack will be delayed until Colonel Durand has had time to reach Bunil, for their attention would then be distracted and the prospect of being caught in the rear by the relieving force would probably have a numbing effect upon their activity. The situation is full of grounds for anxiety. The force in Chilas, weakened as it has been by the severity of its losses last month, which amount in all to 37 dead and 30 wounded, in spite of the reinforcements which have since reached it, is very small to withstand the horde of enemies who are capable of fighting with such determina-

NEW YORK, April 3rd, The United States Treasury have purchased 340,000 ounces of silver at 83-55 to 83-60.

ALLAHABAD, April 4th. An attempt has just been made upon the ille of a British Officer in the Zhob valley. A Ghazi fired at Lieutenant Farqubarson, R.E., but fo tunately missed him. The man has been caught and he will be summarily tried.

It is stated that the Khan of Khelat in a fit of murdered his Prime Minister and mutilated others of his officials. Troops are held in readiness at Quetta to move to Bagh where the Khan now is, or to Khelat if he should go there, but it is not expected that any action will be taken in the way of occupying his: territories. No explanation is so far forthcoming of this extraordinary outbreak on the part of His Highness. It seems probable he feared s conspiracy against his life.

Major Yate started from Quetta on his mission to the Herat border on Monday morning, going by rall to Chaman, where an escort on the Amir's cavalry was awaiting him.

News from Chitral states that Dr. Robertson, the British Agent, seems to be reconciling the various factions to the rule of Nizam-ul-Mulk, and the pretender who set himself up as Governor of Mr. Alex. Price's dun Dundonald, 10st. 12lb,... Yazin has been sent into Gilgit, No further trouble in the northern districts is apprehended. The latest intelligence from Bunif states that the strength of the Kohlstani gathering at Thur is two thousand men. Two chief men of the Jalkot contingent were killed in the late attack upon Chilas, but their followers still hold together under other leaders. The fanaticism of the tribesmen just now is at its highest pitch, the Mr. Nicholas' br. Sargeltal, rost, otb........... fast month being religiously kept by them. It is expected they will choose one of the two remaining Fridays in Ramasan on which to make a fresh demonstration.

Further particulars regarding the recent affair at Khelat show that a short time see the Khan killed five of his wives whom he accused of unfaithfulness, and also mutilated two of his officials who complained to the Agent of the Governor-General a few days ago. He also killed his Prime Minister, together with his father and his young son. The Minister was accused of not having looked after the Khan's interests properly in his relations with the Agent of the Governor General and the Political Agent, Mr. Nicholes' br. Bargaltal rost, olb. The Agent imposed a fine of Rs. 40,000 for the

benefit of the relations of the murdered persons, and threatened that in case of non-payment, a column of troops would be sent to enforce it, the cost of the troops being charged to the Khan. The Khan has submitted and the incident is believed to have ended.

CATRO, April 5th. The Egyptian Ministry have rejected the malority of the British proposals for reform in the Mixed Tribunals, objecting especially to any increase in the foreign element.

PARIS, April 5th. At a sitting here to-day of the arbitrators in the Behring Sea Fishery dispute Mr. Phelps, the American Counsel, vehemently accused Great Britain of improperly importing new matter. Sir R. Webster and Sir C. Russell replied, regretting the heat displayed by Mr. Phelps and defending the conduct of Great Britain.

MANDALAY, April 5th. The Judicial Commissioner, in the defamation case of Murray versus Grin and Mandalay Herald, on Grin's appeal, set aside the sentence of the Lower Court against the latter, holding that secondary evidence in criminal cases is not admissible.

LONDON, April 5th. A letter has appeared in to-day's Times from Mr. Chamberlain in which he denies the charge of obstruction brought against the Opposition; and accuses Government of arbitrary procedure in the House of Commons. Mr. Chamberlain believes that these tactics will fall after Easter, as they did before. It is reported that the rumour of the adopti

by Germany of a new explosive is untrue. The British Consul at Brest reports that fifty one deaths from cholers have taken place

Lorient since the 22nd March. Mr. Fowler, President of the Local Government Board, has issued a circular to all portofficials in the United Kingdom enjoining them to exercise extreme caution with arrivals from the infected ports.

The troopship Serapis arrived at Portsmouth esterday from Bombay. BERLIN, April 6th. The new German and Prussian loans, amount-

ing in all to three hundred million marks, have been issued. The loans bear interest at the rate of three per c nt. per annum and their issue price is 86. ALLAMABAD, April 7th.

The farewell order which Lord Roberts issued to the Army of India is a succinct record of the progress achieved in the last seven years in arms, and an avowal of the utmost confidence. in the fitness of the Army to fulfil its purpose and to defend the Empire.

HANKOW SPRING RACE MEETING

For the following condensed report of the Hankow races we are indebted to the N. Datly News. The meeting was a very successful one and the wlus equally distributed.

FIRST DAY, -THURSDAY, 13TH AFRIL. SHA PAO CUP .- Once round.

Mr. Nicholas' bay Mamay, 10st. 12lb. Mr. Nicholas' ch. Gengis-Khan, 10st. 9lb..... Mr. Lokmakoff Won by two lengths. Time, Im. 504s.

PORPOISE CUP .- Half-a-mile. Mr. Moorherd's dun Comanche, tost. 121b...... Mr. Alex. Price's dun Dundonald. 10st. 121b.

Mr. Begg's gr. Kangaroo, 11st. 1lb...(Owner) 3 Won by a length. Time im. is. MAIDEN STAKES.—Three-quarters of a mile-Mr. Begg's piebald Van Winkle, rost olb

Mr. Moorhead's bay Algonkin, 10st. 12lb...... Mr. Ramsay 2 Mr. Nicholas' dun Sargaltai, 10st. olb.......

Mr. Dallas 2 Won easily. Time 1m. 33 2-5th, GERMAN CUP.—Once round. Mr. Begg's piebald Van Winkle, rost olb......

Mr. Moorhead's gr. Iroquois, 10st. 12lb...... dr. Nicholas' dun Rabdar, ost. 12b....... Won by a length. Time, 1m. 57 1-5th. LOTTERY CUP .- One-mile-and-a-half.

Mr. Begg's dun Latonia, tott. 12lb Owner 1 Mr. Oolachan's bay Oodaloy, rost. 6lb...... Won by half-z-length. Time, 3m. 194s. COMPRADORE CUP .-- One-mile-and-a-quarter, Mr. Fitzwaller's gr. New Broom, 11st. 11b... Mr. Lokmakoff Mr. Alex. Price's wh, White Cloud, 11st 11b...

Mr. Gresson 2

Mr. Lokmakoff

Ar. Nicholas' dua Rabdan, 10st. 12lb....... Mr. Dallas 3 Won by half-a-length. Time, 2m. 42s. RACING STAKES.—Once round.

Mr. Nicholas' ch. Gengis-Khan, Tost. 91b Mr. Nicholas dun Galdun, tost. gib,...... Mr. Lokmakoff Mr. Alex. Price's dun Dundonald, 10st. 12lb... Mr. Gresson 3

Won by a length. Time rm. 56 4-5th s. HACK STAKES, -Once round. Mr. Oolachan's br. Zoroaster, 11st. 11b...... Mr. Pike Mr. Andrews' gr. Lobengrin, 11st. 1lb...Owner

Mr. Nicholas' br. Rubyo, 11st, 11b......

Won by a length. Time, tm. 59s.

SECOND DAY,—FRIDAY, 14TH APRIL. HANKOW DERBY. One-mile-and-a-half. Mr. Moorhead's gr. Iroquois, 10st, 12b,..... Mr. Begg's riebald Van Winkle, tost. olb..... Mr. Lokmakoff 2 Mr. Moorhead's ch. Arapaboe, 11st. 1lb...... Mr. Ramsay 3 Won by several lengths. Time, 2m. 144s.

TAOTAI'S CUP. One mile, Mr. Nicholas dun Galdun, Vist. alb, Mr. Dallas 1. Mr. Gresson 2 Mr. Moorhead's dun Comanche, rrst. glb..... Won by a head, Time, am, 94s,

Mr. Alex. Price's wh. White Claud, 11st. 11b... Mr. Gresson T Mr. Lokmakoff 2 Mr. Vitzwalter's gr. New Broom, 11st. 11b. Mr. PR6 Won by several lengths. Time, 2m. 64s.

Visitors' Cup. One mile.

HANKOW CLUB CUP,-One-mile-and-a-quarter. Mr. Nicholas' bay Mamay, Tost, 121b. Mr. Dallas I Mr. Begg's dun Latonia, tost, Iglb Mr. Lokmakoff 2 Mr. Oolachan's bay Oodaloy, tost, 6lb,..... Mr. Pike 3

Won by four lengths, Time, 2min, 43000s, STEWARDS CUP. Three-quarters of a mile. Mr. Lokmokoff 1

Mr. Moorhead's bay Algonkin, rost. 12lb Mr. Pamsay 2 Mr. Begg's gr. Ichiban, 10st. 9lb. ... Mr. Pike 3

Won by a leagth. Time, Imin, 34secs. CONSOLATION STAKES Once round. Mr. Begg's gr. Kangaroo, 11st 11b.....

Mr. Lokmakoff E 'Mr. Ar drews' br. Flying Dutchman, rost. olb. Mr. Dalias 2 Mr. Alex Price's dun Caermarthen, 11st. 11b ... Mr. Gresson Won by several lengths. Time 2m.

CHAMPION SWEEPSTAKES. One mile. Mr. Nicholas' bay Mamay, 10st. 12lb. Mr. Dallas : Mr. Moorhead's gr. Iroquois, 10st. 12ib...

Mr. Ramsay 2 Mr. Nicholas' ch. Gengis Khan, 10st. 9lb...... Mr. Lokmakoff 3 Won by three lengths. Time am. 81s.

THREATENED DISTURBANCE IN THE KOREAN CAPITAL

Thus the Yokohama Daily Advertises of the 7th instant :--

An extra issued last night by the Fift Shimpo contains disquieting news from Kores. It is in the form of a telegram received by a Korean in Tokyo, despatched from Soul on the afternoon of April 15th, and to the effect that there were serious signs of a disturbance on the part of the Togaku party. All the foreign residents were making preparations for departure, and some of the foreign representatives were reported to have telegraphed for the presence of

man-of-war. Commenting on the above, the Fift explains that the Togaku party are a religious sect whose creed is a mixture of Confucianism, Buddhism and See (worship of genii.) They dress in a manner which distinguishes them from all others. The party was founded forty or fifty years ago, and its adherents are believed to number 200,000; most of whom are extremely mustic. They appear to be auti-foreign, for some time ago about four thousand of them assembled and presented a petition to the local Governor demanding among other things the expulsion of foreign missionaries and merchants and the dismissal of local officials who oppress the people. By granting one or two minor points the Governor persuaded them to disperse, but they despatched twenty delegates to the Capital to press, for the expulsion of foreigners and dismissal of officials. On their arrival at Soul on March 31st these were arrested. which step aroused great excitement among their fellow partisans, who at once flocked to the capital, till as many as 10,000 were assembled. It is believed that the Chokas Kan is still at Tinchuen, and the Yasyama Kan, which left Kobe on Saturday morning, is understood to be, bound for Kores.

-NOTES FROM CHINESE PAPE, RS.

The newly-appointed Envoy to the United States, Spain and Peru, H.E. Yang You, will take with him a suite consisting of twee ty-seven Mr. Begg's dun Latonis, rost, raibs, (Owner) 3 secretaries and attaches, some of whom it is intended to appoint as Consuls and Vice-Consuls, to take the places of those now in the United States, Cubs, and Peru,

> Owing to the rains of last summer the walls surrounding the Eastern Mausoles have in many places succumbed and the Board of Works have therefore asked for some Tis. 30,000 to renew them. A committee of high ministers have been appointed by the Throne to report upon the extent of the damages before giving the grant.

Seven or eight traders travelling, between Ningpo and Slang-shau-halen were attacked the other day by about a dozen or fifteen bill brigands in a pass on the frontier of the two districts. Five of the traders who attempted to resist or give the alarm were cut down and severely wounded by the brigands, who took away all the goods belonging to them, even going so far as to strip them of all their clothing, leaving only a single jacket and a pair of cotton trousers to each of their victims. The authorities of both districts have promised

rewards for the capture of the robbers.

An uncle and his nephew taving had some "words" between them the other day at Canton owing to the nephew's losing a considerable sum of money in gambling, the lrage uncle boxed the younger one's ears, whe younger the nephew tried to stab bis uncle with a dagger. The aunt who was standing by sushed up and endeavoured to take away the weapon, but the young man instantly 'poin'ed his knife at his aunt's face, and she, unable to stop the impetus of her rush, received the point of the weapon on her throat which was immediately severed. The uncle also was severely wounded in trying to blud the young murderer, but the neighbours aroused by the noise of the scuffle soon came to the rescue and having first thoroughly "subdued" him into submission, he was then bound and dragged in .that condition to the Chehsien's

Owing to the sudden rise of the price of rice (s Wenchow, Istoly, mounting as high as \$3.80 ps # picul, and fearing that the local production of this commodity would be insufficient for the wise of the Natives themselves, the country-rapple have of their own second stopped exporting rice to other ports, such as to Foochow, & f. The Taotal of Wenchew, therefore, sent a despatch, lately to the Ching Merchants' office, allowing that company to import rice free of daty so as to encourage rice importers The Afect of this move was soon apparent by the arrival in Wenchow of nearly 4,000 bags of rice in the company's steamers soon after the granting of this permission, imported from Eankow and otherriverine ports. Naturally the price of sice sank; to its normal, level the moment the new importations arrived and people in Wenchow prefecture are lend in their praises of their "good

In the prefecture of Ch'ang Cheu, Hunan, there is a mountain with a circumference of go H which has been celebrated in local traditions as containing many stones, pebbles and rocks of variegated and precious colours. People who knew, always predicted that the mountain had gold within its bowels; but it was never demonstrated until lately, when a man who had come to the mountain to sacrifice at his ancestral tombs, picked up a curious piece of rock which being broken open revealed over five ounces of the precious metal in ingots varying in weight from a mace to 14 candareen. The news of the "find " getting abroad many people went also to try their luck, a large proportion of whom it is said returning satisfied with their search. The authorities having got ear of the thing have. taken possession of the mountain and "promise. cuous" mining has therefore henceforth been interdicted.

In order to emphasise the importance of the cultivation of the soil and to encourage the people to follow agricultural pursuits, the monarch of the country comerimes performs certain sites.

at the "Emperor's Field," and goes through the form of ploughing and other work of the husbandman. On the 8th inst. the Emperor set out at daybreak from his palace, with a numerous mounted and on fo t, to the field, to observe the ceremonies of the occasion. The splendour of the Imprial train was quite beyond description, whilst the route traversed by His Majesty was entirely adorned and decorated in such a way so as to harmonise with the grandeur of the Imperial retinue. Before breakfast the Emperor arrived at the shrine of the delty presiding over agriculture and His Majesty stopped to offer up his thanksgiving and sacrifices. This finished, the stately procession wended its way to the Tai Sheil Tien where the Emperor went through a similar function. On finishing and after the change of dress, the morning repast was served, at the end of which the Emperor proceeded to the field, which is about 3 // in area. Around the field poles were erected on which fluttered innumerable flags and banners of every description and colour, and at the four corners of the field were erected four pavilions where the seeds of wheat and other cereals were placed. In the centre were numbers of magnificently attired courtiers each holding sloft a many-coloured flag, while on the side of the passage were several scores of aged and white-haired farmers. each having in his hand some agricultural implement. Placing his left hand on the plough and holding the whip in his right hand the Em-By pre-arrangement the officers did their allotted share, some wielding the agricultural Implements while others scattered seeds out of the baskets as if sowing, while the Emperor was busied with the plough to which was hitched a zichly caparisoned bullock draped in yellow and led by two of the Emperor's body-guards. On the Emperor finishing his round at the plough the three princes were ordered to go through the performance, and after them nine l'sigh courtiers had their turn, after which the performance closed. Having received the greet-. ags of the various officers, the Emperor returned to his palace.

TAMSUI.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

.Tamsul, April 21st. We have had quite a spell of fine weather. lately, and after so much rain this comes as a been to us. As usual there is a great rush of tea hands coming over from Amny just now, and on account of the opposition between the steamer companies, they are being brought over for anything between twenty and eighty cents. instead of \$3, which is the usual charge by the Douglas steamers. The Cass runs steadily between this and Amoy, and is now known as. the Amoy-Tamsui Ferry-boat. The Smith has been kept on the Shanehal line.

A fire was discovered in the lamp room one night on the last trip of the Smilk down; I have not heard on what date exactly this occurred, but it was within the last few days. Had it not been for the energetic action taken by Capt. Merles and his officers, another sad fatality would have been added to the list of disastrous fires at sea. The Chinese were panicstricken, and made a rush for the boats; and had the Europeans wavered in the slightest, the company would have lost a valuable steamer. uninsured; to say nothing of the loss of life. The fire was got under in little over half an hour. The lamp room woodwork was all desroom more or less damaged. It is estimated 'that about \$200 will put things straight sgain. How the fire originated is not known, but it is thought that inferior kerosine oil had somethe part of the lamp-trimmer.

Douglas steamers now go alongside their wharf to land the import cargo. This will be a saving in hoat hire, and will prevent cargo being tampered with by the cargo-best people.

Our harbour looks quite business-like just now, having the following steamers in port:- Formosa, Smith, Cass, Chefoo, Halloong, and Feichen. and the Yuensang is expected to-day from Foothow with kerosine oil.

ICHANG.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

More changes have taken place at Ichang since my last. Mr. Lockburn, the head of the Church of Scotland Mission, has been compelled to relinquish command, owing to the continued ill-health of his wife, the first, foreign lady to proceed up the Upper Yangtze for mission work. Her many friends in China will be sorry to hear she is in such a precarious condition as to necessitate her immediate return to England. The Rev. W. Deans will have charge meanwhile of this flourishing mission, which the untiring energy and scal of its late chief has worked up under almost insuperable difficulties. His personality will be much missed among the Chinese in the city, where his well-known philanthropy secured him many friends and

admirers among the native Christian. The Catholic Sisters have arrived here from Shangbai and taken up their quarters in the new orphanage which is now finished, and is a I before pointed out-it is on the wrong side of the river. The monastery is also nearing completion, so the priests and Bishop will soon be as comfortably housed as the Sisters.

the Esk, which goes down to Shanghal to re- co-operation is entirely in abeyance. The commission almost immediately. The Monocacy is to relieve her pro tem. (If she can find water across Sunday Island, which may be at least a better if it had never been brought up. He has month hence, as during the rise the bottom silts | his own difficulties is re the past, present and up proportionately, and the depth of the channel | chiefly prospective action of his government remains the same, sometimes until the middle of regarding the Chinese in the United ten feet. It was rumoured that the Eth was to the Taungli Yamen. Moreover American course extremely inadvisable, not to say dan. siement is a disturbing one to both parties. The the Sisters might at any moment cause a rekind- the Philadelphia financing scheme of the notoling of the flame of anti-foreign feeling, and set rious Mitklewicz-also against the Chefoo the intriguing disciples of that faith to work Telegraphic Convention, and against the French on the passions of the lower classes of the influence extended to the Roman Catholic populace. So our naval friends have had to missionaries of other nationalities than France. shelter us yet a little while, until the arrival of In conjunction with the late Mr. de Luca, the the American war-vessel. In wishing the home. Italian Minister, he carried through his scheme ward-bounders of the Esh bon voyage it is due to of detaching the German and Italian missionaries long isolated stay in Ichang, where none of the Legation, The appointment of the German as opposed to the rollicking devil-may-care duties here he will not be lost to the Far East. years ago, to say nothing of the exaggerations one Eastern Asia, We understand a large work be equally circumspect, for Ichang is certainly press. Such a work by such a diplomatist inhabitants. But no doubt the naval authorities When this large work is concluded we may are aware of this and sent us a picked crew in expect several works on Japanese and Chinese

consequence which they will no doubt repeat for our especial benefit.

The new Customs Commissioner, Professor Hirth, is expected here daily, when Mr. Ludlow and magnificant train of courtiers and others, will leave for Kowloon to inherit a summer not pleasant to contemplate after healthy Ichang. Mr. Farrel, the new boat officer has arrived, and a new examiner is expected shortly. Mr. Nölting, also, expects to leave shortly for Japan on three months sick leave.

Trade seems to have revived a bit again, or at least settled down to a steady swing after the interpreter to the Legation, who with his family New Year's holldays. Cotton ya'n has begun to move also, and larger quantities are being shipped to the upper province of Szechuan. Plentiful showers of rain are keeping the crops In splendid condition and the farmers with beaming countenances. The hill and mountain scenery in now looking its very best, and is extremely picturesque and charming; in fact nature has finished her picture, and her colours, designs and finish are, as usual, inimitable.

The Gorges are particularly beautiful just now. The river, which has never been within a couple of feet of zero during this meason, seems now to have set in for a steady rise, and the Customs' pontoon, which was grounded in the fall and has laid like an oasis in the desert, on the sandbank, ever since, while the energetic Harbour Master has been thoroughly overhauling and repairing her, will soon be affoat again to relieve the junk that has done for a landing stage in the interim. Channels down river are reported by the captains to be a little more peror began the ceremony of the occasion, pavigable on account of this " coming up of the waters," and the transit of our mails to and is proportionately facilitated. We have also been patronised by several visitors from Hankow and down river ports, who no doubt enjoyed their trips immensely, for the weather has been all that could possibly be desired even by the most fastidious .- N. C. Dally News.

NANKING.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Nanking, April 13th. Yang Fu which is about one hundred and twenty miles N.W. from here in Anhul province. There was formerly a great highway built by Hung Wu, the founder of the Ming dynasty, but the road is now in very good repair.

There are two cities Fung Yang Fu and Fung returns soon to Japan. Major Kanio, the Yang Hsin close together, but the Hsin or military attache, goes to Tientsin on leave. Dr. district city, is nearly empty. The city of the and Mrs. Pritchard of the London Missionary prefecture or Fu is large, perhaps with 150,000 | Society leave in July. The Rev. S. E. Meech of a population, but the houses are poor, many of the same mission and his family also take of them being thatched. Beside the Fu there is furlough shortly. -N. C. Dally News. a Tantal who controls two circuits.

When I entered the city no landlord would allow me to live in his h tel and I was obliged to leave my horses and luggage in the street, ard send to the magistrate, who being away, placed me in a strait, as his underlings would not interfere. I sent then to the Taotai but he would not accept my card so I proceeded in person to the yamen to discuss the rights of the case. The Taotai had formerly been a Wuhu Taotal but he did not show any great courtesy and would neither see me nor exchange cards. The manager of affairs saw it was likely that they would need to put me out if they wanted to get rid of me, so the great man passed word for me to be admitted to an hotel. The reason of not being able to get into an hotel was that the officials had secretly warned landlords against allowing Foreigners to stop. The people are very rough and though I received kind treatment from some, a crowd of fellows came to my hotel to beat me but they troyed, besides lamps etc., and the adjacent pummeled the landlord's son instead. The row THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP caused official interference and I had peace the rest of the time I stopped in the city. I stayed three days in all. I visited the temple called Lung Hing Sz, or Dragon Prospering Monastery, thing to do with it, coupled with carelessness on where Hung Wu was once a Buddhist monk. before be embarked in the rebellion which led to his gaining the throne. It was ever a flourishing monastery as there are several enormous pot caushle of boiling rice for several hundred priests. The road to the monastery leads through the north gate, and beside the gate was a ghastly sight, six heads of decapitated highway-men hanging from the wall and remains of blood on the ground below. From Fungyang Fu I visited Ning Hawai Kwan, the port on the Hwai river about 18 18 or 6 miles away. It is a pourly built but thickly settled mart on both sides of the Hwai, which is about a quarter of a mile wide a high water. There is good boating west to Chang Yang Kwan and east to the Grand Canal. The crops have been bad for two or three years and it is not likely that there will be water sufficient this year for rice planting, even if the vegetables are dried out. The Tsing Ming l.e. the festival of the spring time when ancestors are worshipped, was being celebrated by spreading willow branches on the graves and over the door entrances. The ancestors had been worshipped by offerings of wine and food, incense and paper-money, on which the spirit is absolutely dependent for existence. -- Mercury.

PEKING.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

The removal of Herr you Brandt, from his post as Minister, will be a great blow to German interests of all sorts, and the Emperor and the Foreign Office will have themselves to blame if this result ensues. British interests will have commodious building, open only to the objection | nothing to regret in the withdrawal of so active and influential a Minister, H.E. Col. Denby now becomes doyen and after him H.E. M Lemaire. The divergence of views on the Audience Question has produced some friction We are at last to be robbed of our gunboat, in the diplomatic world and for the present American Minister succeeds to an unenviable post on other grounds, however, than want of harmony enough) until the river is sufficiently high for the | among the foreign Ministers on this vexed ques-British gunboat Firebrand to find a channel tion, and it would have been a thousand times May or beginning of June, vis., from seven to States, which must paralyse his influence with proceed at once and leave the place upprotected, interests in China, of a commercial character at but the officials here rightly deemed such a least, are almost will. And the missionary geron's, just at a moment when the arrival of late German Minister longht strenuously against them to praise the conduct of the men during their in China, from the protection of the French ordinary forms of amusement are to boobtained, syndicate and the sending out of several German and light entertainment not to be dreamed of; they | engineers, who were appointed to study Chinese have behaved, under these exceptional circum- at the capital and who are now in official posts stances, in a manner that goes to show how | under the Viceroy at Wuchang and elsewhere. rapidly our sailors are advancing and assuming speak much for the foresight of Mr. von Brandt. the manners and conduct of ordinary citisens, Although he has been relieved of his diplomatic proceedings of their predecessors even twenty He has not spent thirty-three years in vain in meets with in the pages of Marryat of the "fortles" embodying his reminiscences will shortly appear, period. It is to be hoped their successors will the first volume being sheady prepared for the not a place where the least license can be taken | cannot but be of great interest from his unique without jeopardising the lives of the foreign experience of the Courts of China and Japan.

art, of which he is a connoisseur, and to this end has made many rich and valuable collections. This should become a standard work on Eastern art. In the cause of literature and art, the forced resignation of the Minister may after all be a blessing in discuise.

The movements in the Russian Consular Service consist in Mr. Laptew proceeding to Tientsin to relieve Mr. Vahovitch, who goes to Hankow to take the place of the Consul there, who comes to Peking to relieve Mr. Popoff, the goes on leave. In the British Legation Mr. Jordan, the Chinese Secretary, has gone on fur-lough. Mr. Fulford, who is here already, takes his place, and Mr. Cockburn is on his way out to take up the post of Assistant-Acting Chinese Secretary, The Italian Minister, H.F., Ch. Pansa, has quitted the Capital. Mr. Michie, who has been acting as interpreter to the Italian Legation has joined the Customs. A new Italian | Colonial Secretary's Office, Secretary who will act as Charge d'Affaires bas arrived. Serious changes are taking place in the Customs Service. The Chief Secretary, daughter returning to the United States Mrs. Cartwright, returns to Europe vid Japan CROWN LAND, in the Colony of Hongkong, and America on furlough. These are distinct for a term of 999 years. losses to our small community. Mr. Rowning, the Assistant English Secretary, is bound for Seoul in Cores, and Mr. S. Campbell takes his place. Mr. Campbell and his family have already arrived. Madame Scherzer and infant have started for Shaughai .M. Billequin, Professor of Chemistry in the Imperial College, also takes leave shortly and his post is to be filled by a German gentleman of well-known scientific attainments, Mr. Stubimann, who has rejoined the service. In the German Legation, besides the great loss of the Minister of which you have already been informed, Drs. Grillmenwald and Forke have gone to Amoy as Consul and Interpreter respectively. Baron von der Gels has received leave to accompany Mr. von Brandt to Cores to he present at the marriage, and returns to Tientsin to await the arrival of I have just returned from a few daystrip to Fung | the new German Minister. We hear Mr Heard, the United States Minister to Cerea. has applied for leave on account of hi health and will leave for home very shortly, Other changes are in contemplation here a little later on. H.E. the Japanese Minister, Mr. Otori,

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By Command, G. T. M. O'BRIEN, Colonial Secretary.

Hongkong, 15th March, 1803

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th April, 2893.

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ARRIVALS. PINOSURY, British steamer, 1,982, J. C. Jaques, 23rd April,-Singapore 18th April, General. -Arnhold, Karberg & Co. HAIPHONG, French steamer, 874, H. Galletti, 23rd April,-Halphong 20th April, General,-

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WUOTAN, German steamer, 1,115, A. Ott, 23rd April'-Salgon 16th April Rice.-Lauts,

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FUPING, Chinese steamer, 521, J. Watts, 23rd April,—Tientsin, and Chefoo 18th April, Coals and General.—C. E. & M. Co. RAVENNA, British steamer, 1,915; G. W. F. Browne, R.N.R., 24th April,-Yokohama 15th April Malls and [General.-P. & O.

ANCONA, British steamer, 1,888, W. D. Mudle 24th April,-London, via Bombay 6th April, and Singapore 18th, Mails and General .-P. & O. S. N. Co.

DECIMA, German steamer, 956, C. Christensen, 24th April,—Amoy 23rd April, General.— Siemssen & Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Holstein, German steamer, for Salgon. Nicosian, British steamer, for Bangkok. Pingsuey, British steamer, for Shanghai, &c. Endeavour, British steamer, for Manila.

DEPARTURES.

April 23, Benco, Portuguese gunboat, for Macao, Douglas Steameble Company-\$36 per share, April 23, Triumon, German str., for Holhow. April 23, Glangarry, British str., for Shanghat. April 23, Pathan, British str., for Shanghai. April 23, Lennox, British steamer, for Salgon. April 23, Cicero, British steamer, for Manila. April 23, Donar, German steamer, for Saigon. April 24, Tetartos, German str., for Yokohama. April 24, Endeavour, British sir., for Manila.

PASSENGERS -ARRIVED.

Per Ancona, str., from London for Hongkong. -Dr. F. O. Stedman, Colonel Sergeant-Major Rogan, Messrs. Herbert Gething, G. Thomson, Keong Ching, and Tuilock's native servant. From Brindisi.-Messrs. A. W. V. Gibb, G. Greenhill, and T. Jackson. From Ismailla.-Mr. and two Misses Gilling. From Bombay.—Capt. Cotton, Lieut. Powney, Messrs. H. C. Marcks, H. E. Proctor, and Nemsjee and 2 servants. From Colombo,-Colonel the Hen, and Mrs. Waller, and Miss Caddick. From Penang.-35 Chinese, From Singapore,-Dr. and Mrs. West and 4 children, Mr. W. H. Young, Mr. M. M. Hurd, Mrs. and Miss Hurd, Rev. A. Simpson, and 12 Chinese. From London for Shanghai.-Messrs C. H. Erskind, Culshaw, A. J. Brown, and S. Arnold, From Brindisl .-Messrs. F. Freeman, F. F. Raper, W. S. King, and G. Clark, From Hombay.-Messrs. T. Inglis, H. Khorshed, and E. C. Banatwala. From Colombo .- Mr. G. H. Wood. From Calcutta.-Mr. R. Johnson. From Penang.-Mr. Mu Sah. From Singapore.-Mr. A. R. Catto. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$148 per share, From Penang for Nagasaki.-Mrs. Oke Kitchie. From Singapore for Kobe, -- : Japanese. From London for Yokohama.-Mr. Abraham. From Brindish.—Rev. and Mrs. Ridgway, Messra A. B. Walford and H. Ovenback. From Bombay. -Mr. M. Brown. From Singapore.-Mr. and Mis. Macgregor and servant.

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and 17 children. Per Oanfa, str., from Amoy. -780 Chinese. Per Jacob Diederichsen, str., from Saigon,tt Chinese.

Per Hallan, sir., from Foschow, &c.-Rev. and Mrs. Hubbard and 4 children, and 17

Per Canton, str., from Shanghai, &c.-Color-Sergeant George Wylde, and 106 Chinese. Per Halphong, str., from Haipho g. - Mr. and Mrs. Candeliss, Messra. Pizot, Glli, Bernheim, and 8r Chinese. Per Decima, str., from Amoy,-Capt, Buysen,

REPORTS. The British, steamship Pingsusy reports that she ic t Singapore on the 18th instant. Had

and or Chinese.

moderate north-east monsoon and fine clear weather all the way. The British mail steamship Ancona reports that she left London, via Bombay on the 6th instant, Had fine weather throughout from Bombay. Passed the ship Somali on the 20th

instant, from Singapore to Maulia, 30 days out. The British steamship Canton reports that she left Shanghal on the 19th Instant, and Swalow on the 22nd. From Shanghal to Swatow had fresh north-east winds rainy weather. From Swatow to Hongkong had light 'wind' and fine

weather. The Chinese steamship Fu-plag reports that she left Tientsin, and Chefoo on the 18th instant. From Tientsin to Chefoo had fine weather. From Chefoo had fine weather with fog at times to Steep Island's thence to port had moderate

weather and variable winds. The British steamship Hallan reports that she left Foochew on the 21st instant, and Swae tow on the 22nd. From Foochow to Amoy had light variable winds and cloudy weather. From Amoy to Lammocks had light airs and clear weather; thence to post had light northwest airs and fine clear weather. In Amoy the steumsbips Haeskin, Cito, and Pronto. In Amoy the steamships Strathleven, Talwan, Namyong, Nanking, Continental, Lise, and Decima, and H.M.S. Firebrand

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SHIPPING IN HONGRONG

BTEAMERS. ALWINE, German steamer, 400, C. Petersen, 20th April,-Pakhoi 17th April, and Holhow noth, General-Wieler & Co. ARDGAY, British steamer, 1,018, James Thom, 18th April, Bangkok 11th April, Rica.-Tardine, Matheson & Co. Avochie, British steamer, 1,056, T. Rowin, 21st

April,-Balgon 17th April, Rice,-Melchers BELLONA, German steamer, 2,032, F. Jaeger, 21st April,-Singapore 14th April, General, -Siemssen & Co.

HONGKONG-BIRAMERS. (Continued)

CATHERINE APCAR, British steamer, 1,712. G. Olifent, 21st April,-Calcutta ath April. Penang 12th, and Singapore 15th, Oplum and General -D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. CATTERTHUN, British steamer, 2,000, Neil

Shannon, 21st April,—Kobe 15th April, and Mojl 15th, General.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. City of Rio DE Janeiro, American steamer, 3,548, J. T. Smith, 18th April,—San Francisco 23rd March, and Yokohama 12th April, Mails and General. -P. M. S. S. Co. EVELYN, British steamer, 1,529, A. Wood, 22nd

April,-Nagasaki 17th April, Coal.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain McIssac, -Hongkong Government tender,

HOLSTEIN, German steamer, 1,103, J. Bruhn, 20th April,-Salgon 16th April, Rice and Paddy .- Wieler & Co. NDEPENDENT, German steamer, 1,003, Schäfer, 22nd April,-Salgon 17th April, Rice.-

Wieler & Co. Kono Beno, British steamer, 862, J. B. Jackson, 18th April,-Bangkok 12th April, General.-Yuen Fat Hong. NICOSIAN, British steamer, 854. J. James, 2121

April,-Bangkok 11th April, Rice,-Tung Ooriya, British steamer, 419, 23rd May,-Singapore 16th May; laid up,-Chinese.

PEIYANG, German steamer, 953, R. Kohler, 22nd April,-Canton 22nd April, General,-Slemssen & Co. PERA NANG, British steamer, 1,021, W. H Watton, 21st April,-Bangkok, and Koh-sichang 15th April, Rice and General.-Yuen

Fat Hong. PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,012, J. A. Morris, 17th April,-Bangkok 8th April, and Koh-sl-chang 1tth, Rice .-Yuen Fat Hong.

PROT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani. -Hongkong and Whampon Deck Co. PROPONTIS, British steamer, 1,357, W. H Farrand, 14th March,-Salgon oth March, Rice and Paddy.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. ROMULUS, Spanish steamer, 531, G. Mendiguren,

4th April, -Manila 30th March, General .-Shewan & Co. SISHAN, British steamer, 845, E. F. Stovell, 22nd April,-Swatow 21st April, Ballast,-Kin Tye Loong.

SAILING VESSELS. BANDANIERA, British 4-masted schooner, 1,775 J. G. Jones, 11th Feb.,-New York 14th October, Kerosene Oll.-Captain, CELTIC CHIEF, British ship, 1.747, C. Owen, 5th March -New York 4th Oct., Oil .-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

COLOMA, American bark, C. M. Noyes, 7th Feb., -Portland 20th Nov., and Honolulu 20th Dec., Timber and Spars.—Captain. D. BARTOLA, American sch., 60, C. Blechert, 5th April,-Yap (Caroline Islands) March 17th Beche-de-mer and Cocoa-nuts .-

Slemssen & Co. IRON DUKE, German bark, 1,413, H. Hashagen. 5th April,-New York 29th Oct., Petroleum, -Reuter, Brockelman & Co. JOSEPHUS, American ship, 1,840, T. Rogers, 1st

April,-New York 5th Nov., Oll.-Reuter, Brockmann & Co. MILLY, German schooner, q., O. Kessler, goth April,-Taluit 12.h Mar., General,-Siems. sen & Co.

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> Oll.—Melchers & Co. THERMOPYLE, British bark, 948, J. R. Winchester, 17th April,-Victoria, B.C., 17th Ballast,-Captain. VELOCITY, British bark, 491, K. Martin, 25th Feb.,-Honolulu 18th Jan., General.-

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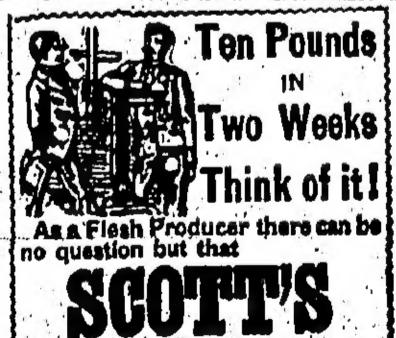
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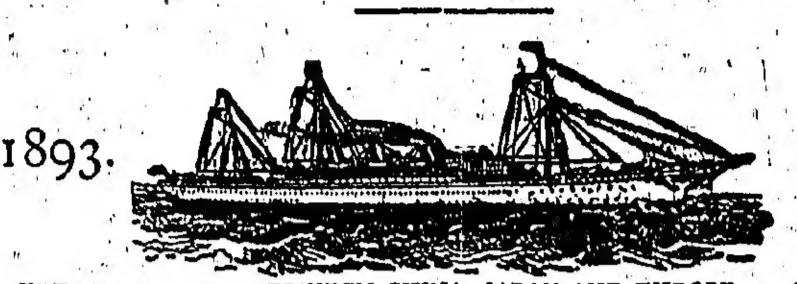
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